

Nebraska Public Library Statistical Survey - 2013-2014 Summary

Nebraska Library Commission

Service Measures

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| Annual Circulation | 13,008,703 |
| Avg .Circulation per Capita ¹ | 8.44 |
| Circulation of Electronic Materials | 783,010 |
| Visits to Libraries | 8,213,065 |
| Visits per Person ¹ | 5.33 |
| Children's Programs | 19,690 |
| Children's Program Attendance | 548,611 |
| Young Adult Programs | 2,941 |
| YA Program Attendance | 43,078 |
| Adult Programs | 8,940 |
| Adult Program Attendance | 115,176 |
| Total Library Programs Offered | 31,571 |
| Total Library Program Attendance | 706,865 |
| Program Attendance per Capita ¹ | 0.46 |
| Reference Transactions | 815,918 |
| Registered Borrowers | 1,070,818 |
| Annual Hours Open | 308,772 |

Technology N=267 Administrative Entities

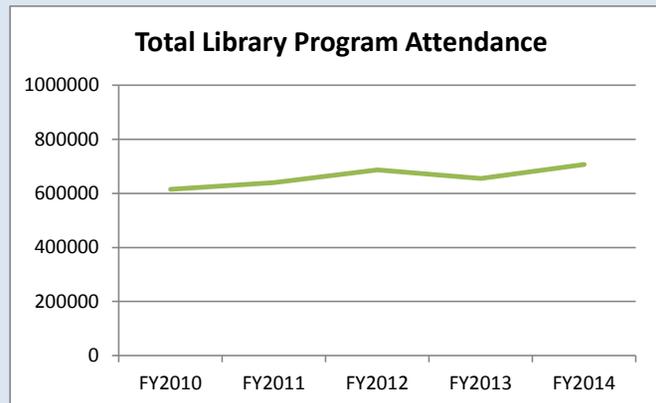
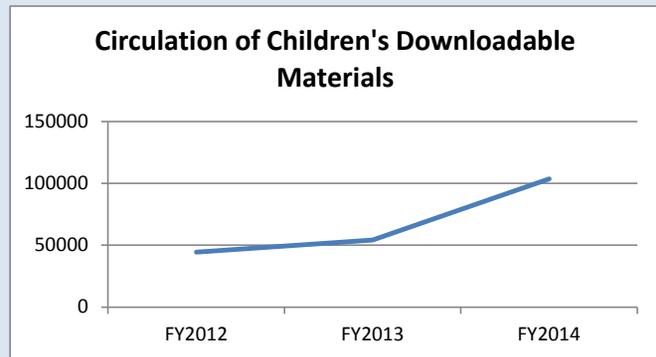
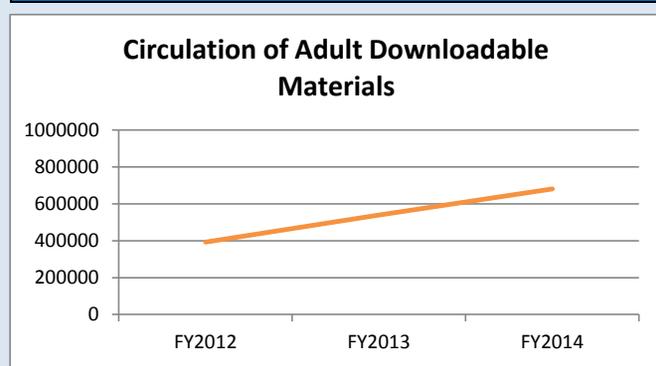
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| Number of Internet Computers | 2,803 |
| Internet Computers per 1,000 people ¹ | 1.82 |
| Internet Computers per Library Outlet | 11.98 |
| Uses of Internet Computers | 2,088,052 |
| Internet Use per Capita | 1.35 |
| Have Online Accessible OPAC | 135 63% |
| Number of OPAC Computers | 1,158 |
| Provide Public Internet Access | 211 98% |
| Offer WiFi Access for the Public | 206 95% |
| Public Libraries with a Web Site | 163 75% |
| Libraries Using Online Social Networks | 152 57% |
| Number of WiFi sessions per year | 967,657 |

Miscellaneous

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| Accredited Public Libraries | 169 63% |
| Certified Public Library Directors | 209 78% |
| Certified Public Library Boards | 175 66% |

¹Note
Based on total Legal Service Area population of communities served by a public library.

Trends



Finance and Collections

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| Operating Revenue | |
| Local Government Revenue | \$50,978,226 |
| State Government Funding | \$519,844 |
| Federal Government Funding | \$249,700 |
| Other Funding Sources | \$3,251,541 |
| Total Operating Revenue | \$54,999,311 |

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| Expenditures | |
| Print Materials | \$4,851,330 |
| Electronic Materials | \$1,481,105 |
| Other Materials | \$1,079,320 |
| Total Collection Expenditures | \$7,411,755 |
| Salaries & Wages | \$26,138,982 |
| Employee Benefits | \$8,387,006 |
| Total Staff Expenditures | \$34,525,988 |
| Other Expenses (Facility, Insurance, etc.) | \$9,633,385 |
| Total Operating Expenditures | \$51,571,128 |

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| Collections | |
| Books | 5,603,018 |
| Audio Materials | 249,604 |
| Video Materials | 327,892 |
| Serials Subscriptions - Print | 12,738 |
| Other Items | 622,709 |
| Total Materials | 6,815,961 |

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| Libraries by Legal Service Area | | |
| Under 500 | 82 | 30.7% |
| 500 - 999 | 77 | 28.8% |
| 1,000 - 1,499 | 30 | 11.2% |
| 1,500 - 2,499 | 29 | 10.9% |
| 2,500 - 4,999 | 16 | 6.0% |
| 5,000 - 9,999 | 16 | 6.0% |
| 10,000 - 24,999 | 9 | 3.4% |
| 25,000+ | 8 | 3.0% |
| | 267 | 100% |

Source
Annual statistical survey of 267 public libraries in Nebraska. Respondents for 2013-2014 = 216 or 81% reporting